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PATENT 5-17-04
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Customer No.: 20277
Tetsuji Kishi : Confirmation No.: 5220
Serial No.: 09/677,821 : Group Art Unit: 2676
Filed: October 3, 2000 : Examiner: Tam D TRAN
For: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR DRAWING LINES

SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Further to the complete response filed on March 31, 2004, which was fully responsive to the Office Action dated March 10, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Supplemental Amendment in the above-identified application.



No additional fee is required.



Applicant is entitled to small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27

Also attached:

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

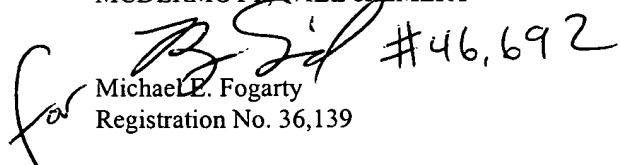
	NO. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	12	20	0	\$18.00 =	\$0.00
Independent Claims	4	4	0	\$86.00 =	\$0.00
Multiple claims newly presented					\$0.00
Fee for extension of time					\$0.00
					\$0.00
Total of Above Calculations					\$0.00

Please charge my Deposit Account No. 500417 in the amount of \$0.00. An additional copy of this transmittal sheet is submitted herewith.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 500417, including any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for presentation of extra claims and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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